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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Jerry W. Sartain

Examiner: Meredith C. Petravick

Appln. No.: 10/724,467

Group Art Unit: 3671

Filing Date: December 1, 2003

For: WHEELED WEED EATER

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to the Office Action mailed April 1, 2004 in regard to the above-referenced application including the following:


[X] Documents, including:

- Amendment in Response to Office Action (11 pages), including one sheet of replacement drawings and one copy of original drawings showing changes in red; and
- Return receipt postcard.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on

June 28, 2004.


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[X] There are no additional fees for extra claims, which has been calculated as follows:

Highest No. of <u>Claims prev. pd. for</u>	No. of Claims <u>after Amendment</u>	<u>Extra</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Add'l Fee</u>
Total claims 20	1	0	9.00	0.00
Indep. claims 3	1	0	43.00	<u>0.00</u>
Total Additional Fee				<u>0.00</u>

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any addition fees pursuant hereto to Account No. 50-0961. A duplicate of this letter is included herewith for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant has reviewed the Office Action mailed April 1, 2004 in regard to the above-referenced application for patent. The following is in response thereto.

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IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please replace the one originally filed sheet of drawings showing Figs. 1 and 2 with the one sheet of drawings enclosed herewith showing the same Figures.